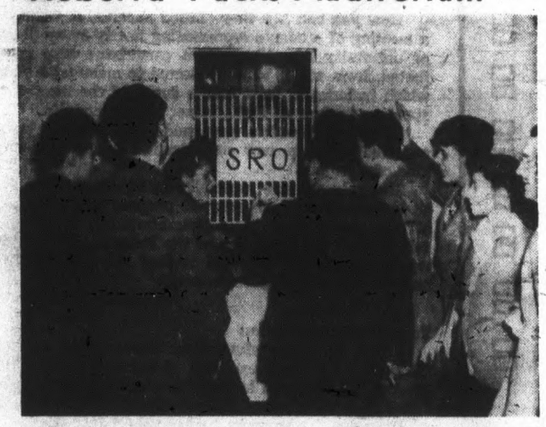
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'Roberta' Packs Auditorium



● STORMING Lisner Auditorium Friday, 1,553 people attempted to gain admission for the showing of Jerome Kern's musical comedy, "Roberta" sponsored by Cue and Curtain. Lisner only seats 1,502. Betty Lou Trowbridge, John Mitchell, Jack Sweeney, Lu Murphy, Mimi Branson and Lt. Bob Holmes held stellar roles in the student production. Throughout the performance a policeman maintained a vigil behind the scenes to assure War Mobilization Director Byrnes that the curtain fell by 12 p.m., curfew time. (See review on page 2).

Bridge Tournament to Be Run Under Sponsorship of Hatchet; Red Cross Goal Set For $500

Peterson Appeals For Support of Students, Faculty

● SETTING the campus goal at $500, Anne Peterson, Student Council Victory Service Drives chairman, officially opened the University Red Cross drive at the musical comedy "Roberta" in Lisner Auditorium Friday, with a talk outlining the services of the Red Cross and appealing for student and faculty support.

Contributions amounting to $35 were received from the audience following the play. Student Council started the ball rolling by contributing $25.

During the week a booth will be open in the Student Club each noon to accept money from individuals and organizations who are soliciting for the drive.

Inter-sorority competition is now in full swing. The sorority collecting the most funds above the 25 cents per person minimum assessment applied to each group, will receive a plaque at the Buff and Blue Friday night.

The $500 collected on the campus this week will go to overseas clubs, Red Cross hospitals, prisoners of war, family assistance for servicemen, relief in time of disaster and the blood donor service, according to Chairman Peterson.

"A mere casual look at the unsurpassed record of the Red Cross should be ample reason for students to contribute a dollar or whatever each can afford, before the drive ends Friday," she added.



Photo by Jordan

ANNE PETERSON

First and Second Placers to Get Monetary Awards

● CLIMAXING the annual University Red Cross drive, a benefit bridge tournament will be conducted on the roof of Strong Hall Wednesday, March 28, from 8 to 11:30 p.m., under the sponsorship of The Hatchet.

Open to all, both day and night students may register at the Red Cross desk, open daily from 12 to 1 p.m., in the Student Club, or may check in at the door the evening of the tournament. There will be a registration fee of 50c, proceeds to go toward the University Red Cross goal, set for $500.

Members of The Hatchet staff will provide prospective candidates with individual tallies and assign them couple and table numbers the night of the tourney. Partners will be drawn by number.

Departing from the usual tourney practice of duplicate bridge, individual play will be featured, with a prize of $5.00 going to the person with the highest point total. Runner-up will receive $2.50, while the lowest scorer of the evening will receive a booby prize.

Prizes and expenses of the tournament are being met by The Hatchet as its contribution to the Red Cross.

The Board of Editors of The Hatchet will act as judges in all disputed points, applying Culbertson's 1945 revised rules. Four hands will be played at each table, after which every contestant will switch to another table and play with three entirely different people.

If a rubber is not completed after four hands, a certain number of points will be given to the high scorers and the transfer to the next table will be made.

No spectators will be allowed on the roof during the playing, thereby allowing for full concentration on the game.

Thelma Grant and Glee Clubs Will Sing for Easter Chapel In Lisner Tuesday, March 27

● EASTER CHAPEL will feature the University Glee Clubs, accompanying Miss Thelma Grant, soprano, in a program of Easter music under the direction of Dr. Robert H. Harmon, on Tuesday, March 27, at 8:30 p.m., in Lisner Auditorium. This chapel is open to the public.

Miss Grant, prominent concert soloist and light opera singer, was soloist at Foundry Methodist Church until recently, when she joined the cast of The Schubert Light Opera Company, which is currently on tour, giving Romberg's "The Student Prince." She will sing "I Know That My Redeemer Liveth," from Handel's oratorio "The Messiah," "If With All Your Hearts," by Mendelssohn, and the solo from "Lovely Appear," by Gounod. She will be accompanied by her teacher, Dr. Max Cushing.

The Glee Clubs will sing "Lord's Prayer," by Malotte, "Bless the Lord," by Ivanoff, "In Joseph's Lovely Garden," by Dickinson, "Sanctus," from the St. Cecilia Mass, by Gounod, "Ave Maria," by Schubert, sung by the Girl's Club, "Lo, A Voice To Heaven Sounding," by Bortniansky, "Fierce Was The Wild Billow," by T. Tertius Noble, and "Hallelujah Chorus," from Handel's "The Messiah."

For several years, the Glee Clubs have offered programs of Easter and Christmas music, at which many of these numbers were sung. This season, there are several pieces which will be presented for the first time to University audiences. They are Dickinson's "In Joseph's Lovely Garden," Gounod's "Sanctus" and "Lovely Appear."

Need for Changes In Congress Shown By Dr. W. R. West

● "CONGRESS HAS descended gradually to the status of second fiddle to the executive," is the opinion of Dr. W. Reed West, Professor of Political Science and Assistant Dean of the School of Government at the University, who is the current contributor of "Confidential from Washington," the monthly George Washington Victory Council publication.

Reviewing briefly the history of executive dominance followed by Congressional resurgence in American politics, Dr. West says that, for Congress to repeat that procedure and regain its status as the policy-making branch, it will have to make "drastic adjustments."

The decline of Congress in relation to the executive is not dissimilar to what has taken place in the dictatorship of the world, according to the reasoning of Dr. West, who then proceeds to give arguments in support of his conclusions.

University Gazette Comes Out April 2

● EDITORS OF the new University Gazette, Darhl Foreman and Dorothy Wolf, announce that publication of the first weekly issue will be April 2, showing the meeting dates and dates for special events of all university organizations.

Miss Foreman stated that any organization on campus which has not received the form on which this information is to be submitted should contact her at Strong Hall. All dates, including regular business meetings as well as special events, are requested.

These forms must be in the hands of the editors by March 20 for the April edition, and April 20 for the May edition.

After publication, the Gazette will be mailed to the faculty, administration, and heads of the organizations.

New Contest To Determine Peace Views

● TO LEARN the American people's views on peace aims, a National Peace Treaty Contest opened this week with all legal residents of the United States and its possessions and members of our armed forces abroad eligible to participate.

Inspired by the best-selling book "The Gentlemen Talk of Peace," by William Z. Ziff, the contestants are eligible to enter by writing their own ideas of a peace treaty in competition for prizes totaling $10,000 in War Bonds.

The judges hope to discover the views of the people who will be most affected by the coming peace treaties, namely the students of present day America. All entries should be sent to 350 Fifth Avenue, New York 1, N. Y. Entries must be received by midnight April 15 to be included in the contest.

Judging the contest will be: Joseph W. Frazer, chairman of the board of directors of the Graham-Paige Motors Corporation; Vice-President Harry S. Truman; Fannie Hurst, novelist; William Green, president, American Federation of Labor; Clinton S. Golden, executive vice-president, United Steelworkers of America, CIO; Senator Owen Brewster; Ray Band, former Army private wounded at Salerno; Mrs. Warren Cain, Los Angeles Catholic clubwoman; Dr. Rockwell D. Hunt, Dean of the Graduate School, University of Southern California; the Rev. Ralph W. Sockman, minister of Christ Church, New York City, and William B. Ziff, author.

Council Sponsors All-U Sing; Clubs To Submit Songs

● AN ALL-UNIVERSITY SING, sponsored by the Student Council, will be held on Friday evening, April 6, at 8:30. If the response to invitations sent to all campus organizations warrants its use, Lisner Auditorium will be the scene of the contest.

Twin cups will be awarded the winning men's and women's groups. Social Chairman Alice Rebert urges all clubs interested in participating to submit by Friday, March 23, the names of the two numbers which they will sing so that programs may be printed.

Judges for the affair will be the three members of the Committee on Musical Organizations: Chester Elwood Leese, John Russell Mason, and Gretchen Louisa Rogers; Justin Laurie, choir director at the Foundry Methodist Church, and a representative from the Music Department at Catholic University. While the judges deliberate, the Glee Club, directed by Dr. Robert Harmon, will render a special selection.

This affair differs from the Pan-Hellenic Sing formerly held each year in that all campus organizations, male as well as female, may compete, and that the cups awarded will be "permanent" rather than "rotating."

Collier to Lecture

● CHARLES S. COLLIER, Professor of Juridicial Science will be the third speaker of the Wednesday evening lecture series sponsored by the Alumni Association. His talk, which will be given in Room 1, Hall of Government tomorrow evening at 8:15 p.m., will be on anti-trust policies.

CALENDAR

Today

12:30—Women's Glee Club, Lisner, Studio A.
4—Professor Diebert's Tea, International House.
7—Orchesis, Group 1, Recreation Hall.
7:45—Hebrew Class, D-105.
8—Men's Glee Club, Lisner, Studio A.
9—Hillel Councilorship, Columbian House.

Tomorrow

8:10—Tironian Club, Columbian House.
8:15—Alumni Forum, Charles Collier, Government 1.
8:15—Spanish Club, Columbian House.
8:15—Westminster Foundation, Columbian House.

Thursday

12—Cherry Tree staff meeting, Building K.
12:30—Women's Glee Club, Lisner, Studio A.
4—Junior Dance, Gymnasium.
8—Men's Glee Club, Lisner, Studio A.

Friday

12:10—Chapel, the Rev. Charles McKenzie, Columbian House.
8—Religious Council, Columbian House.
8:45—Buff 'n Blue, Student Club, Closed night.

Monday

4—Orchesis, Group 1, Gymnasium.
4—Canterbury Club, Columbian House.
8—All sororities meet.
8:15—Alpha Kappa Psi, Gov't. 1.

Student Council Initiates Block-Type Ballot; Noble Hits 'Vested Interests' in Politics

Plan Eliminates 'Ticket-Voting'

● BLOCK-TYPE ballots, showing names of candidates under the office to be filled, will be used in the 1945 Student Council elections to be held April 18, 19 and 20, it was announced by Jimmy Huddleston, advocate and chairman of the Student Council Elections Committee.

This type of Australian ballot has not been used in a Student Council election for several years. The "block-type" ballot has the advantage of breaking down the practice of "straight-ticket" voting and encourages a consideration of candidates on the basis of their record.

At every polling place this year, there will be a poster presenting the names of candidates accompanied by their qualifications and record in student activities as well as their political affiliation. However, they will not be listed on either the posters or on the ballots according to their party membership.

● RULES governing the 1945 elections were released last week by the Elections Committee and are as follows:

1. There shall be no campaigning or discussion of candidates within the limits of the polls, as defined by the Elections Committee.

2. Each voter must present his signed Student Activities card.

3. Ballots cannot be removed from the polling area.

4. Any individual wishing to run for office on the Student Council must submit his name, letter from the Registrar clearing grades and financial record; and list of activities to the Elections Committee by March 23, 1945.

5. Platforms must be submitted to the Elections' Committee by April 4, 1945.

6. Campaign advertising shall be limited to The Hatchet of April 10, 1945.

Vet Prexy Favors New Voting System

● IN A COMMENT to The Hatchet Sunday night, Ben Noble, president of the Veterans' Club, stated:

"We feel the democratic concept of the Student Council has been destroyed by self-interested individuals using organizational pressure. We are striving to get a student government that is representative.

"No organization has any 'vested' interest in the Progressive Party. It is a slate of qualified individuals selected as representative of nineteen organizations. This is evident since there were two members of the opposing party well enough qualified to stand the verdict of the veterans, who made selections purely on the documentary evidence submitted.

"Because we are interested in seeing individuals elected on merit rather than party system, we are in favor of the Australian Ballot."

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Play Bridge

• WE'VE BEEN RACKING OUR BRAINS for months trying to think of something that would interest that segment of the student body we have termed "lethargic." It's quite obvious that they have little in common, insofar as extra-curricular interests are concerned, with the active day school students. They are the people whom we feel are primarily attending the University for its educational benefits.

But, we have noticed the great deal of interest in the bridge games that are so numerous down in the Student Club. Even the casual observer cannot help noticing the seemingly endless bridge games that start at nine in the morning and end at seven-thirty.

So we have come up with another brain-child. Tie this very popular extra-curricular activity in with a worthy cause, and harness some of this energy in an effort to get greater student participation in University activities.

It should not be necessary for us to sing the praises of the work done by the Red Cross. Its scope and purpose are too well known. No other humanitarian organization in the world achieves such results, offers such relief to the needy, or relieves the suffering of so many.

The main problem is to get the students to actively support this drive through contributions and pledges. Ordinarily, this is handled through the Student Council and Panhellenic in the form of solicitations. But this drive should get greater support and more participation than that.

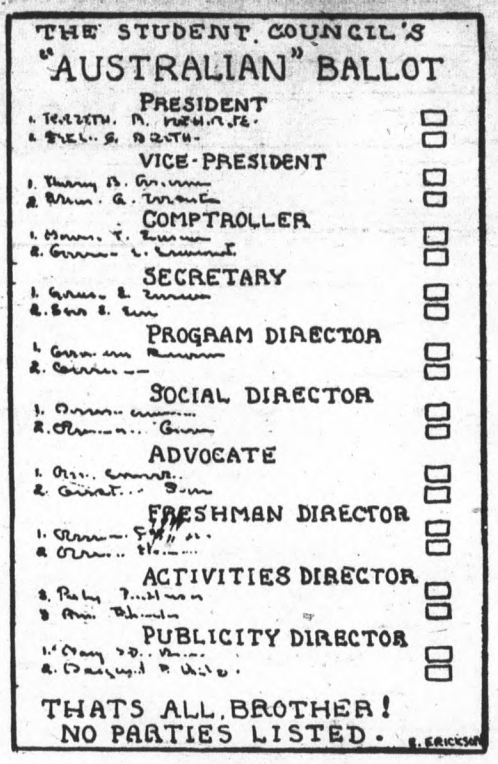
And so, every student, man or woman, is invited to meet with us on the roof of Strong Hall next Wednesday and help us help the Red Cross.

Activity Fee

• IN ANSWER TO THOSE few people who were gracious enough to cast their ballots on our proposal for a Student Activity Fee, but who failed to read it carefully, may we reiterate that our plan calls for a mandatory fee for day school students but an optional fee for night school students. In other words, night school students can take it or leave it—as they prefer.

For the edification of those who felt that the fee belongs under the present University fee, may we again point out that is $8 fee is charged primarily to meet the costs of registration. Though its title is ambiguous and its purpose not generally understood, the University fee gives a student certain privileges "in addition" to meeting the costs of registration facilities.

As for the SAF being unfair to women . . . the only difficulty would be that of finding dates for the



girls in school who would have an activity book in their possession. Certainly the women of this University can find enjoyment in the Cherry Tree, Cue and Curtain, the Glee Club, Orchesis, etc.

There may be a manpower shortage, but we notice quite a few girls manage to find dates for the Pan-Hel Prom each year. Are Student Council dances any different, or less attractive?

Though the total vote cast was very small, we believe that the proportionate vote was significant as well as indicative of the desires of the student body. It is certainly a fair sample of student opinion.

Review

• CUE AND CURTAIN'S MUSICAL production, "Roberta," which played last Friday night to a capacity audience, was an achievement of near-perfect timing all the way through its many scenes.

Outstanding for her grace of performance, Betty Lou Trowbridge deserves orchids for her delivery of the songs included in the lead role of Stephanie, which she played. Her score included two of the hits of the show, "Smoke Gets In Your Eyes" and "Devastating," as well as the duets which she put across, "The Touch of Your Hand" and "Let's Begin." Though not a seasoned player with the group, she put feeling into her portrayal of the exiled Russian princess who designed clothes at Madame Roberta's in Paris.

The gang got over to Paris and into the story very quickly, after a well done scene of college life, including a rousing fraternity song. The verandah of the fraternity house afforded the setting for a quarrel between Sophie Teale and John Kent, football hero, leading to the romantic complications in Paris. Mimi Branson succeeded in making Sophie disliked for her fits of temper and for her overbearance and snippy domineering of John Mitchell, playing the unassuming, mild-mannered athlete.

The setting of Roberta's private office was very appropriate and conformed to the idea that Roberta was one who enjoyed comfort in her work as well as the achievement of having built up an outstanding dress designing firm. Rusty Schiff gave the feeling at the end that she was completely in character, which she had been trying for all evening.

Lu Murphy as Mme. Nunez or Scharwenka, the nightclub entertainer, turned in a characteristically diverting performance. She sang "I'll Be Hard to Handle" in a most entertaining way. In her leech-like manner, she almost had John Kent headed for the preacher's until "love found a way" with the help of Huckleberry Haines. Huck, played by Jack Sweeny, gave Stephanie assistance so that she and John finally realized they truly loved each other.

Huck was presented with enough naturalness and adroitness so that one might overlook the insufficiency of his voice.

Frank Falkenhainer in his many appearances outdid himself in the part of the lawyer going over Madame Roberta's unsigned will.

Orchesis' dancers were skillful in their routines, with interest added in their original costumes, some of which were made from released parachute material.

The Glee Clubs' offering of many of its members in leading and lesser roles was favorably noted.

In the handling of such a large number of extras, there were naturally some slip-ups, but these were minor. The lighting was thoroughly effective and the makeup was very good. All in all, for an enjoyable evening, we would say, "Gee, it was swell."

—J. H.

Letters to the Editor

To the Editors:

Your editorial entitled "Poor Politics" in the March 6 issue of the HATCHET was unfair and capitious.

I think the open meeting of the Progressive Party was in complete line with their purpose of choosing candidates on the basis of ability alone rather than because of sorority or fraternity affiliation or because of any of the other petty reasons the U.S.L. and Allied parties used as excuses for putting up candidates.

How you can say they "failed miserably" when, at a meeting of students representing nearly every phase of university life, 19 qualified candidates were nominated, from whom 10 were elected to make up a slate which includes at least half a dozen of the most outstanding leaders at G.W., is not understandable.

Of course mistakes were made, but this was to be expected when a new organization undertakes any kind of a project.

The veterans are especially to be commended for their honesty and sincerity of purpose for, after all, if they have these basic characteristics, they can't fail. I think the formation of the Progressive Party is an important step forward toward more democratic and efficient student government.

—Mary Webster.

To the Board of Editors:

I wish to congratulate all members of the cast of "Roberta," on their excellent acting and singing of the tuneful music, in last Friday night's performance. I feel that they, as an amateur group, did very well.

However, I was sorry to hear the barrage of off-color jokes and conversation in the play. I believe that numerous parents and outsiders in the audience will agree that such productions won't enhance very much the reputation of our University or our dramatic club.

If we plan any musical comedies or operettas in the future, why not try something like "The Chocolate Soldier?"

—Jeff Abercrombie.

Ten Years Ago —In the Hatchet

• AT THE EASTERN INTERCOLLEGIATE Glee Club contest, the University came out second only to Penn State. Besides the glory, our Glee Club was given an opportunity to sing over a national network.

Freshmen were to play host at a Freshman Frolic, so they were planning loads of "surprises." Not even a hint was dropped!

Well! Well!! Well!!! The University's own Dr. Ragatz was invited to speak before the International Conference of Colonial Studies in London. P. S. He accepted.

Did you ever hear of an actress being too convincing in her role? 'Twould seem that the little girl in Cue and Curtain's "Goodbye Again" was so charmingly childish that she was accused of violating child labor laws. What ignominy for a college freshman!

For the first time the University was sponsoring soft ball on an intramural basis—this, along with tennis, golf, and, of all things, horseshoes.

Attempts were being made to have a local "strike against war." All over the country university students were to leave their classrooms April 12 at 11:00 a.m. as a protest measure. It's one way to get a holiday, but singularly ineffectively against the Japs.

Sigma Nu sponsored a "warehouse ball" for the athletic type only. Entrance to the house was via ladder and a second floor window.

CAMPUS CARAVAN

Most popular student is one who says, "Have a cigarette?"—most unpopular is one who says, "Gotta cigarette?"—most unusual is one who doesn't pan columnists until he's tried to pound out the stuff himself—rarest is the one who doesn't need to cram—worst introvert is the one who isn't enjoying the lovely campus weather.

—PLAINSMAN.

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College Physician: Is there any insanity in your family?

Student: Yes, I'm afraid so. They keep writing me for money.

—PLAINSMAN.

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Doctor: How did you break your leg?

Student: I threw a cigarette butt in a manhole and then stepped on it.

—PLAINSMAN.

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Conscience is the thing that hurts when everything else feels so good.

—PLAINSMAN.

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He's the kind of guy that finds two meanings to our one-meaning jokes.

—PLAINSMAN.

Fratres et Sorores

KAPPA DELTA . . . Having exchange dance with Phi Sigs Sunday . . . Helen Zott now wearing Army "A" pin.

SIGMA CHI . . . Consul Frank Delk and Millie Taylor, Chi O, planning a June wedding. Exchange dance with Chi Omega Sunday . . . Congratulations to George Bishop, Larry Strickland, Jack Sweeney and five other Sigs on their performances in "Roberta" . . . Steele Hays in Veterans' Hospital at Fayettesville, Arkansas . . . Receiving a $50 check as a gift from the D. C. Lambda Chapter of the Sigmas.

SIGMA KAPPA . . . President Lansdale looking forward to a trip to South Carolina . . . Installing new chapter in Pittsburgh . . . Enjoyed Sunday afternoon tea at Maryland chapter.

SIG EP . . . Cart. W. G. Young, U.S.M.C.R., visiting Philadelphia Theta . . . Grand President "Uncle Billy" Phillips from Richmond . . . Enjoying Founder's Day Banquet and party at the house.

CHI OMEGA . . . Marion Warfield visiting Lee Milner in New London . . . Dieki Burke and Irene Houston in New York for West Point's "Yearly Week." Jean Casanova and Jean Koppialky spending gay weekend in New York City . . . Electing pledge officers: Lila Sylvester, president; Manny Alvord, treasurer; Gloria Thackabery, secretary . . . Eleanor Adams married to Ensign Houston McCeney, U. S. N. A. C., the 12th.

ACACIA . . . Former President Bill Lesniak now in A. S. T. P. at Penn State . . . Brother Burgess visiting last week . . . Brother Matthews in his usual deplorable state . . . Holding Fraternity reunion.

DELTA ZETA . . . Congratulations to Dotty Jean Eggeling and Jini Nalls tapped for COGS and to Sally Judd and Ruth Collins asked to join Alpha Pi Epsilon, Home Ec. honorary. . . . Congratulations to Shirley Mason pledged to Iota Sigma Pi, Chem honorary, and to Jini Nalls and Deedie Norris for making Pi Epsilon Delta, dramatic honorary

TRI C . . . Pledging Shirley Pickering, Audrey Tampton . . . Charlene Dailey Wolfarth in town for "Roberta" . . . Mabelle Hughes, Ellen Watson, Polly Harpster, Edwina Rothgeb and Barbara Ringer becoming charter members of Pi Epsilon Delta.

Z. T. A. . . . Dorothy Duvall getting married . . . Electing new officers: Darhl Foreman, president; Maisie Oliver, vice-president; Joan Hyatt, secretary; Ann Jones, treasurer . . . New pledge officers: Isabelle Grobmier, president; Mary Martha, vice-president; Inez Lester, secertary; Barbara Martin, treasurer.

PI PHI . . . Junior alums giving dinner for graduating seniors . . . Barbara Borrer visiting chapter at Randolph-Macon . . . Teedee Kuldell spending week-end with Patricia Davis in New York . . . Giving shower for Doris Court on April 30.

PHI SIG . . . New officers: President, Buddy Belotte; vice-president, Rick Renfro; secretary, Clark Davison; treasurer, Cliff Carlstedt: sentinel, Bill Ham; inductor, Ray Coultrip . . . Brother Riley busting vest button since pinning Edie Miller, Sigma Kappa . . . Beat Med Juniors in close game, 18-17.

PHI SIGMA-SIGMA . . . Awarding pledge cup to Nora Dubin . . . Muriel Kaufman pinned to Eddie Polder, Phi A . . . Busy practising for the All-U Sing . . . Rustling around for Red Cross Drive.

S. A. E. . . . Brother Dick Miller and Pledge Rex McDowell leaving for Army soon . . . Farewell party last Thursday night for Ensign Cliff Davis, Tennessee Kappa . . . Brother Ed Bauman in from Great Lakes . . . Brother Cary Hawthorne, Penn State visiting chapter . . . Brothers Beatson and Jetton initiated into Theta Tau last Saturday night.

KAPPA . . . Isabel Harrison married March 17 in Macon, Ga. . . . Connie Wadden being married next Wednesday . . . having Exchange with S. A. E. Sunday . . . Vickie Keimig, Polly Peterson, Leila McLaughlin and Cornelia English down at Annapolis.

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COGS to Meet

● COGS WILL HOLD its monthly War Activities Council Meeting Wednesday, March 28, at 8 o'clock in Columbian House. The presidents of all organizations are asked to send representatives to this meeting to discuss and organize war activities.

New Honorary Fetes Actors At Installation

● INAUGURATING Pi Epsilon Delta, National Collegiate Players, on campus, Professor Howard C. Morgan, executive secretary and treasurer of the National Council, installed 17 new members Saturday evening.

Professor Morgan was assisted by Al Snyder, director in Catholic University's drama department; Captain Harvey Smith, on leave from the University of Louisiana; Professor Walter B. Emery, on leave from Ohio State and now with the Federal Communication Commission, and Betty Brooks, student at the University and formerly of the Denver, Colo., chapter.

Features of the celebration included a banquet Saturday evening in the Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority rooms and a reception Sunday afternoon at Strong Hall for Professor Morgan.

New members of George Washington Chapter No. 38 are Larry Strickland, Virginia Nalls, Barbara Ringer, Gerry Locke, Norene Burnette, Mabelle Hughes, Polly Harpster, Edith Norris, Harriett Hulfish, Edwina Rothgeb, Ellen Watson and Tony Brady. Floyd L. Sparks, faculty adviser; Don H. Williams, George E. Bishop and Cay Knockey are associate members.

Members are "sporting" their new pins, which are a triangular shape with a symbol of the masque in the center.

Religious Notes

By JANET EVANS

Chapel

● LAST IN THE special series of Lenten addresses to be given by the Reverend Charles Stewart McKenzie will be offered Friday at 12:10 p. m. in Columbian House. The talk will be entitled "Following Jesus . . . in Loneliness;" Betty June Karle will preside. Friday, in a talk on " . . . in Suffering" Rev. McKenzie said our lives are deepened by suffering, and this suffering Christ helps us to bear.

WESTMINSTER

● "A JUST and DURABLE peace" will be the subject for discussion by Presbyterian students Wednesday at 8:15 p. m. in Columbian House. The meeting will be led by Betty June Karle, Jimmy Huddleston, and Norman Phelps. For "homework" members are requested to read the Dumbarton Oaks proposals and form a definition of a Christian peace. The regular meeting will be held as usual at 3 p. m. Friday in Columbian House.

BAPTIST STUDENT UNION

● SATURDAY AT 8 p. m. at the home of Ercelle Bigge, 5131 Massachusetts Avenue, N. W. Baptists students will meet for a BSU Party. All new Baptist students are especially welcome.

CANTERBURY CLUB

● CANTERBURY CLUB announces a reorganization and the beginning of a regular semester program under the direction of their new advisor the Reverend James Pike, of St. John's Episcopal Church. Officers elected at the first meeting of the year are Christine Hudson, president; Peggy Holliman, vice-president; and Sally Judd, secretary-treasurer. Regular meetings will be held each Monday in Columbian House at 4 p. m. All Episcopalian students are invited to attend.

Martha Washington Club Sees Rapid Membership Increase

By BEA MELTZER

● MARTHA WASHINGTON Club, a social club on the University campus, can now boast that its membership is increasing gradually. The original club members, who were three in number during the first year of its organization, are happy to note that the club "caught on" and that many more women students have become interested.

Campus trotters, female day school students only, are eligible to join this group, whose primary purpose is to promote campus activities. With due respect to the namesake of the club, the wife of the democratic "Father of our Country," that is the one restriction this liberal and democratic social club makes.

No IQ tests are given to aspiring potentials, and Phi Beta Kappas and Special Students are accorded the same considerations. Also, an individual's religious affiliations, or non-religious affiliations, are immaterial. In other words, point averages and beliefs are no criterions for membership, decided its original sponsors, Barbara Lyddane, student advisor and Women's Athletics Director Ruth Atwell, who was Activities Advisor when the Martha Washington Club was first organized in October, 1943.

The members throw a party once a month in their club room in building K on the second floor. There, the girls can "let down their hair," and have fun.

During these fast and furious war-weary days, the Martha Washington Club has assumed its just burden, and the members now give full expression to their patriotism by helping take care of the children in the Grant School Nursery, located across the street from Building K.

Members meet every Wednesday at noon in their Building K Club room, where they discuss future plans and strategies, with Miss Barbara-Belle Felton, their Faculty Adviser. Recently, annual elections for officers took place. This phenomenon occurs, every March, so all new members have reason to be hopeful that they may fill a position of authority in 1946 or any succeeding year.

Barbara Brown, former president of the club, said she would be glad to initiate any girl student who is interested.

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Tironian Club Sets Meeting Tomorrow

● TIRONIAN CLUB, newly organized secretarial club, will hold a meeting tomorrow evening at 8:10 p. m. in the Columbian House. Both day and night secretarial students may be members of the club.

Feature of this meeting will be slides of the trip to Mexico last summer, made by Miss Dorothy H. Veon, assistant professor of secretarial studies. Refreshments will be served.

The present officers are: President, Miss Edith Davis, and secretary, Miss Jacqueline Rumsey. The club derived its name from that of the secretary of Julius Caesar.

Spring Buff 'n' Blue Features Entertainers



LOIS SMITH

Red Cross Plaque To Be Awarded By Anne Peterson

● THE SPRING'S Buff and Blue, sponsored by the Student Council, is scheduled for Friday evening, 8:45 to 11:45, in the Student Club, President Lois Smith announced.

At the auditions held last week in the living room of Strong Hall the dancing, singing and comedy talent discovered warrants the prediction of another encore floor show. Final rehearsal for the entertainers will be held in Strong Hall at 8 p.m., tomorrow evening.

During intermission Anne Peterson, chairman of the University Red Cross drive, will present a plaque to the organization turning in the most donations at the Red Cross booth in the Student Club by Friday evening.

In view of the ever-increasing popularity of these "student-night-club" affairs, Co-Directors Mary Jane Whittlesey and Joe Vivari urge students to get their reservations immediately. A limited number of tickets will be on sale throughout the week at a booth in the Student Club. They may also be obtained from members and representatives of the Student Council. If any tickets are left over they will be sold at the door. Price of admission per couple is $1.20, including tax.

Mr. X, who has quite a line, will act as master of ceremonies for this year's third Buff and Blue. Lynn Bell's orchestra will do "a repeat" as the band unit providing the music. As usual, no stags will be admitted.

Attention is called to the new time set for the dance—8:45 to 11:45.

Interfraternity Council Sets Date of Ball

● THURSDAY, APRIL 5, is the date set for this year's Interfraternity Council Ball. Joe Vivari, social chairman of the council and representative from Phi Sigma Kappa, announced Sunday that the Continental Room of the Wardman Park Hotel has been engaged for the gala, semi-formal affair.

Fraternity men and their invited guests will enjoy an evening of dancing to the music of Bob Montgomery and his orchestra, a Jack Morton unit. The time set for the dance is 8:30 to 11:30, instead of the usual 10 to 1.

Interfraternity Council awards will be distributed that evening following the Grand March led by the social chairman and his date.

Senior Dinner Set For Roger Smith, Fund Will be Gift

● AT SENIOR CLASS meetings, noon and evening, which were held last Wednesday, members voted to have their class dinner at the Roger Smith Hotel.

Seniors who graduated in February or will graduate in May or September are urged to make their reservations with Mary Beth Sheppard, secretary of the Senior Class, as soon as possible, since only 120 persons can be accommodated. The price of the dinner is $2.50.

They also voted that the class gift to the University would be a class fund given to the University Library for the purchase of new books. Mr. Mason, librarian, will have authority to make the selections.

Lastly, the members who attended the meetings agreed that the Senior Class dues of 50 cents must be paid promptly to Mary Beth Sheppard.

Officers Elected

● MARTHA Washington Club, a social organization which promotes campus activities recently elected its officers for 1945. They are as follows:

Angelia Pomponio, president; Gloria Halpern, vice president; Charlotte Friedman, secretary, and June Speaker, treasurer.

New Activity Fee Wins Campus Nod In Final Tabulation

● FINAL TABULATION of student opinion on the question of a Student Activity Fee, proposed by The Hatchet, reveals that 75 per cent of the votes cast were in the affirmative. The total number of votes was only 237.

Day school students, who cast about 70 per cent of the total number of votes, were predominantly in favor of the plan. Total day school vote was 165 with only 31 votes cast for the negative side.

Night School students were almost evenly split in their opinions. They voted 41-31 in favor of the measure.

Written-in comments seemed to indicate that many of the students had not read the editorial too closely. Of those voting against the measure, the great majority expressed the opinion that the fee should not be mandatory for night school students. The Hatchet's editorial had expressly stated that the fee was intended to be mandatory for day school students and optional for the night school registrants.

Other opinions expressed indicated that the University fee should provide these benefits, while other voters felt that women students would derive no benefit at all.

Rushing to Begin

● INFORMAL RUSHING for sororities will begin March 23rd and last until the 23rd of April. Pledging will continue throughout this period, and pledge period will last for the remainder of the spring semester. Active membership will begin with the summer session.

The Easter Parade In Europe . . .

was a dismal procession of shivering families whose spring outfits were also their winter wardrobes . . . little more than a pitiful wrapping of rags . . . How about your "idle clothes"? The sweater that shrank, the coat with the ink stain, the dress hat doesn't feel right, the scuffed shoes . . . Give them to the war victims of the world through the

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THE NEWER Jelleff's

University Stars Trek To Maryland Tonight

All-University Team Looks for Second Straight After Smashing 35-25 Victory

• IN THE SECOND of a three-game series, the University All-Stars tee off against Maryland's Intramural Stars tonight, but this time on the foreign fields of Maryland's new armory.

Fresh from their 35-25 victory over the Old Liners last week, the Colonials have been sharpening their shooting eyes all week, hoping to take the Intramural championship in two successive games.

The University team put on a great show last week, coming up with a brand of sharpshooting and defensive play that startled most of the hundred spectators.

Going into the game last Wednesday night with only one practice session, it took the entire first half for "Laddie" Reichwein, the University coach, to discover who should play where and when. But after a torrid first half, which found the Buff and Blue leading 20-17 at intermission time, he finally evolved a team which had Maryland bottled completely up throughout the rest of the game.

The first half was nip and tuck all the way. The teams were never separated by more than two points, and it wasn't until the final two minutes of the opening session that the University team lengthened their lead to three points.

It was almost a one-man show the first half, with George Kruger of the University setting the pace with eight points and Bob Davis of the Old Liners scoring the same amount of points to keep his team in the game. Kruger couldn't miss as he threw six shots up and made four, Davis doing about the same.

It was the second half that saw the Colonials pull away from their opponents and put on a marvelous display of ball-stealing which had Maryland baffled. Led by Joe Glovacchini and Frank Sheridan, the University team broke through the Maryland defense many a time to sink baskets. Once more Kruger came through, as he went from offense to defense and had Maryland screaming to stop him. Chuck Meloy of Sigma Chi also came in for his share of glory, as he proved unstoppable in the second half, scoring and taking the ball away from Maryland forwards almost at will.

Whether or not the boys from G Street can retain the fire they had in the first game will be proved tonight, for the Maryland boys were hopping mad at the beating they had taken.

The odds will be on the Colonials to win the game, however, and establish themselves as District Intramural champions.

Ballad by Phillips Gains Popularity

• "WITHOUT YOUR LOVE," popular ballad by Tommy Phillips of Sigma Alpha Epsilon, will be presented next Sunday morning by Mike Hunnicutt on his "Spotlight Revue" from 10 to 11 over Station WWDC.

Phillips took a copy of the song to Hunnicutt before his show last Sunday, and after looking the tune over, Hunnicutt announced he would feature the song on the "Spotlight Revue" in the "typical Hunnicutt manner" on March 25.

The tune achieved local recognition when introduced by Tommy and Charlotte Mellum of Chi Omega sorority at the Founders' Day Buff 'n Blue February 9. Tommy and his sister, who wrote the lyrics, are keeping their fingers crossed in their search for a publisher.

Ring Strategy To Keynote Tournament

• CLASS WILL BE the keynote of this year's Intramural Boxing Tournament, with 12 top-notch bouts scheduled for the night of April 17 or 18.

Instead of the usual slugfests that amateur fisticuffs feature, most of the battles will be planned long before they occur, for, according to most of the young championship aspirants, strategy is their aim this year.

These talents require diligent practice and excellent teachers. The teaching is being efficiently supplied by "Doc" Lentz, University boxing trainer, and "Pete" Lenarduzzi, himself a great boxing tactician. The experience of these men is being put to use in a very large measure by the men they are teaching. As for the practice, it's their own funeral when they enter the ring.

For University fight fans who still appreciate a good barroom brawl, don't sell the tournament short. For every battler who is cagey, there is one who'll want to get out in the ring and knock his opponent's head off. A view of these bouts will offer spectators an excellent chance for a comparison of these two different styles in the ring.

Despite the lack of fighting experience, fault of most of the men, they will enter the ring with plenty of courage and a 20-week practice session.

The bouts will range from the 110-pound class to the unlimited class. Weighing-in ceremonies will take place some time next week, and at that time the pairings for the finals will be announced.

The fighters are coming into the home stretch of their training period and are anxiously awaiting the familiar phrase, "shake hands and come out fighting."

Bowling Final Set

• AMID A MAZE of forfeits, Phi Alpha Fraternity and the Pharmacy finally "battled" their way into the Intramural Bowling championship game to be held this Saturday at 6:30 p.m. at the YMCA Bowling Alleys.

Pharmacy reached the finals by defeating Phi Sig and the Alphans by virtue of two forfeited games.

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Cellar Teams Stealing Play In 'Murals

• WITH JUST ONE lonely game to play in the first round of the Intramural Basketball League, the Med Soph quintet is a sure bet for the top position of the league. Phi Sigma Kappa, whom the Sophs play next week, are the only ones who can change the picture of the standings. Should they upset the Med. Sophs, Sigma Chi will tie for first place.

While the first round draws to a close, the second round is moving along slowly. Many of the teams that ended on the bottom of the list in the first round seem to be improving and, from results of recent games, it seems that "the teams are getting better all the time."

The most improved team in the second round seems to be Pharmacy School, which has four straight victories to its credit against no setbacks. Aided by Dave Lenarduzzi, the team seems to be functioning better both on offense and defense.

Mural Standings First Round

Team	Won	Lost
Med. Seniors	8	1
Med. Sophs	6	2
Sigma Chi	6	2
Pharmacy	6	3
Med. Juniors	6	3
Veterans	3	6
Phi Alpha	3	6
Med. Frosh	2	7
S. A. E.	2	6
Phi Sigma Kappa	1	7

After ending up on the bottom of the first round, the Phi Sigs are coming back in the second round to give their victims a real fight. Last week they defeated the Med. Frosh by the score of 21-16, and a few days later, led by their star forward, Frank Sheridan, they took the Med. Juniors 18-17.

In other games played at the University gym last week, the Med. Seniors rolled over the Med. Sophs 49-16; the Pharmacy quintet defeated the Veterans, 26-20, and the Med. Sophs won their first game in the second half over Sigma Chi 27-21.

Jack Millar, of the Med. Sophs, continues to lead in scoring honors, with 149 points to his credit. In second place is Howie Greaves of the Med. Seniors, with 127 points in 10 games and one notch below is Giovacchini of Pharmacy, with 100 points. Fourth place is still occupied by Gendason of Phi Alpha, with 86 points.

They are as follows:

Player and team	G	FG	F	Pts.
Millar, Med. Sophs	10	62	25	149
Greaves, Med. Seniors	10	55	17	127
Giovacchini, Pharmacy	13	43	14	100
Gendason, Phi Alpha	10	39	8	86
Kruger, Phi Alpha	9	37	1	7

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Out of the Basket

By MERVIN LEWIS

• AFTER-TWO-AND-A-HALF MONTHS, Intramural Athletics has returned to a position which is known in GI language as "Snafu." Starting off like a house afire, the Intramural picture looked great, but, if ever anything looked dark and dismal, that's the way sports at the University look right now.

So far, we have had only two sports this semester, basketball and bowling. Football went off fairly well last semester, so let's not go into that.

In both basketball and bowling a horrible situation has arisen, and, if it is not corrected, the hallowed gymnasium of the campus will turn out to be hollow and completely devoid of mankind once the gym classes are over.

Since basketball is a major sport, I'd like to turn the pages of the scorebook and show everyone what is happening in the hoop league.

First, the opening round of play has still not ended. It should have finished about three weeks ago, but as far as I know, teams are still playing first round games. Secondly, the second round, which started two weeks ago, is moving ahead very slowly, and many of the teams are starting to forfeit their games instead of finishing out their season.

Quintets Have "Tired Feeling"

As far as the first round goes, all I can say is that the Phys Ed Department for Men was pretty lucky. If Phi Alpha had ever beaten the Med Sophs, Lord knows when the first round would have ended. It would have necessitated a four team playoff for the championship, and I wouldn't have been surprised if students registering next semester, would have found Pharmacy, Sigma Chi and the Sophs still battling it out for the title during balmy summer heat.

As for the second round forfeits, which are starting to occur, it's just a case of too much basketball for one season. Ball players get stale after a while, especially when they are a winning combination. The constant strain of every game begins to tax their nerves, and soon their playing ability is affected. Put them with a new bunch of boys in a new setting, and they come out of the doldrums.

It's too bad, because the court league could have really gone far this year, and Intramurals would have gained a very important step at the University.

Reason for the lengthy season is simple. Games were scheduled on closed nights, teams requested postponements in order to hold social functions, and courses in school started getting tougher. Somebody slipped up on the schedule, and somebody was too liberal in postponements of games. I doubt if basketball will finish before the middle of April or perhaps May.

Bowling Was "Bowled Over"

Bowling is having an even more disastrous time. But here it is not so much the fault of the organizers as it is the fault of participating teams. In all my close association with sports, I have never seen such poor sportsmanship as is being illustrated in the bowling league.

Sigma Chi calls up SAE at the Y and asks the SAE boys please to cancel their bowling league tilt until the following week, because they can't make it on a certain Saturday night. SAE says okay and trots on back to the frat house. Next Saturday afternoon SAE can't make it, so Sigma Chi takes the game on forfeit.

The Vets beat Phi Sigma Kappa in two out of three games, but lost the match by one pin, since in the first game the Vet's were off and lost it by a big score. It was my understanding that it was the best two out of three games and not the total score of three games that won a match for a team.

Phi Alpha has backed into the finals this Saturday night with Pharmacy, and they haven't bowled one game yet against any team. Both times they have won on forfeit.

You figure it out, I can't.

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USSR-UNRRA Deal Sends GWU Buildings To Moscow, Prof. Dillemma Goes Too

Md. U. Takes Over Classes; Moscow Art Moves In

By DERWOOD BLACKHOLE

• TRANSFER OF THE ENTIRE University, lock, stock, barrel, and bridge tables to the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics as part of the UNRRA program was announced early this morning by University President Lloyd Epithet Moovin. The agreement calls for the immediate dismanteling of all buildings and facilities for shipment by air to Russia, beginning June first.

Because of this, an agreement has been reached with the University of Maryland to take over the educational responsibilities of the University and continue formal instruction in all courses for the rest of the semester.

Transportation to and from the Maryland U. campus will be provided by autogyro leaving 21st and G Streets every hour on the hour from 8:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.

Only one professor will accompany the University buildings on their trip. Chosen because of his great love for the Russian system, and his deep respect for their efficient way of getting things done, was John Adelbert Dillemma, professor of Political Science.

Dillemma, who first came to the attention of UNRRA officials when he gave ex-Governor Herbert Lehman an "A" in Poly Sci 9 and 10, expressed his great surprise and delight at being chosen, with these few words, "Every student should learn English Law."

The transfer was made at the request of "Uncle Joe" Stalin himself, who asked that this country supply a modern, efficient, up-to-date University. He especially requested this one, if available, since he had heard of the great school spirit among the student body and Alumni from the late Wendell Willkie.

As a good will gesture, though not in compensation, the Red Government is sending its Moscow Art Theatre to Washington to be erected on the space to be vacated between 20th and 22nd and G and H Streets, N. W.

The theatre, its actors, stagehands, electricians, designers, technicians, and staff will be placed under the direct supervision of F. Sporang Larks, present drama director of the University.

Since, by this move, all faculty members will sever their connections with the University, Larks will be in the personal employ of President Lloyd Epithet Moovin, long a patron of the arts.

All other members of the University faculty and Administration

Another Couple Of Joes Added To the Faculty

• THE FRIMM BROTHERS, Yacob Wudwig and Vilhelm Harl, noted philologists and mythologists, have just been engaged as members of the faculty in the English Department, announced Bernest Wewall Hepard, Master of Arts and head of the English Department.

Mr. Hepard said that complaints have been received by numerous students that the English courses given at the University were inadequate, and that they should include subjects dealing with the more basic human desires.

Courses such as How to Win Me Lady Fair, The Knack of Pleasing Unwieldy Parents of the Opposite Sex, and How to Get My Knight to Fight For Me, should be on the curriculum of "musts," decided the students who spoke to the department head.

The Frimm Brothers, born in 1785-86, respectively, studied at the University of Marburg and in Paris under the great law scholar, Frederich von Savigny, and together the brothers published the well-known collection of medieval folklore and fairy tales entitled Frimm's Fairy Tales, which so enthralled students in their childhood.

Because this famous volume depicts the gallant and brave and daring knights who performed superhuman feats to win their ladies fair, the young and beautiful, and kind maids, Mr. Hepard said he believed the Frimm brothers definitely would "fill the bill," and satisfy the unsatisfied students.

Staff have been told to "Go out and find a war job. It's about time you were doing something important."

Anybody Seen 'da Guy-huh?

Wife Woefully Weeps, Wailing As Police Probe

• STUDENTS, FACULTY and police are searching Washington, Arlington County, and the surrounding area for the prominent and beloved University Dean, Columbus Barnett, KD, Chi O, KKG, LS/MFT, eminent administrator and former Oxford scholar, who failed to return to his Virginia home yesterday following his five o'clock class.

Bureau of Missing Professors states he was seen last at the pub near 20th and H Streets at 6:15 p.m.

Later Ho Joltzman, who fondly calls the missing professor "Pops," came forward with the report he joined Dean Barnett for a short one and left him crying in his cups around 6:40 p.m.

Mrs. Barnett first reported the profesor's absence when he failed to return to his home, 6442 S. Rittmar Rd., and failed to respond to calls at the University.

His extremely punctual habits led her to fear the worst and she notified the police at 7 p.m. They learned from one of his colleagues that he had left campus, striding determinedly across the vast stretch of campus green to 20th and H Streets.

Joltzman further stated that Professor Barnett, who was never known to have entered the pub before, was rather despondent and kept muttering something about "from Malta to Yalta I don't think they alta."

Following up the only clue they possess, besides the grocery list, Phi Gamma Mu pin, and an empty Budweiser bottle (which he always carries) that were found under the table where he was sitting, the police are checking an unsubstantiated report of a group of Stigma Fry's pussyfooting it up 20th Street supporting an elderly man in their midst.

FACULTY PLANS 'HARVEY', NEXT

Dean Riser Cast in Lead, Larks as Inwisible Wabbit, Production at Lisner, April 31

By J. Cheever Loophole

• EARLY RISER, Dean of University Students, will star in the forthcoming Miscue and Flirtin' production of the Broadway hit "Harvey", it was announced today by F. Sporang Larks, president of the organization.

The production will be presented in Lisner Auditorium Tuesday, April 31, at 8:40 p. m.

"Harvey" is the story of a gentle, drinking man, Elwood P. Dowd, his 6 foot, 1½ inch white rabbit named Harvey, who exists only in Dowd's imagination, and Elwood's crazy sister Veta, who tries to shut her brother up because of his interest in Harvey.

Mr. Larks, director of the new group's first legitimate performance, stated that this comedy was the finest example of type casting he had ever seen. Dean Riser, as Elwood, will be assisted by Mrs. Blanche Pittypat as his sister, Vera; Miss Terror Hatwell as his dowdy, sour niece; and Dr. Hay-Adams as the hoity-toity "Aunt Ethel" Chauvenet.

The romantic lead will be Bus. Mgr. "Red" Nestle as young Dr. Sanderson interested in the nurse, Miss Maryland Jerkbridge, who reciprocates his affection, but won't admit it even to herself. Dr. Blowhole J. Ragged will portray Dr. Chumley, head of the sanitorium where Vera tries to confine Elwood. University Prexy Lloyd Epithet Moovin will be the cynical Brooklyn taxi-driver while Mr. Larks completes the cast as the famed Harvey.

Dr. Hobart Who Harmony, stagemanager, will head the backstage crew which will consist of Professors R. Day Grumble, set designer, M. Kent Takers, chief electrician, He Creeks Yung, costume designer, and N. Gruen Randall, who will repaint the curtain on the basis of a "Root Two Rectangle."

Others include Dr. R. Bitney Holwell, Miss Lizzie Nertner, Dr. C. Cager Sollier, Dr. A. Edward Worms, Dean W. Weed East. Box office will open under the direction of Mr. Henry "Bucky" Eggnog sometimes early next week.

Rehearsals will be held every night for the next three weeks and all members have solemnly resolved not to let classes interfere with the new activity.

However, Mr. Larks announced that the officers—Dr. Howell, Miss Nertner, and himself—were seriously considering a proposal which would demand that all members discontinue their classes during the weeks preceding the show to eliminate their "distracting influence."

Bassini Endows Sociology Chair And Budweiser

• MAURICE BASSINI, local bistro proprietor and raconteur, has announced his intention of endowing a chair in Sociology at the University it was learned by Tomahawk reporters in an exclusive interview with Dean Columbus Barnett last week.

Bassini, in founding the chair which incidentally will carry with it all the Budweiser the occupant protessor can drink, expressed the hope that not only will the new professorship serve as a vehicle for the promotion of Sociological research, but that it will "be something which will make G. W. a good school."

The noted Heurich middle-man is an alumnus of the University having taken his A. B. in 1902 and his Masters Degree in swimming two years later. He also took a copy of the "Memoirs of Jacques Casanova" and a pair of rayon panties which he has never returned. However, the University has agreed to let by-gones be by-gones in lieu of his recent magnanimous gesture.

When asked to make a statement for the Tomahawk, "Maurice," as he is called by his best friends, in his own inimitable way said, "We have some very nice fresh cake today."

THIS IS ABOUT HARRY JAMES AND BETTY GRABLE FLYING HERE FOR THE INTERFRATERNITY PROM

By ELVINA EXLAX

• HARRY JAMES, "THE TRUMPET KING", will make a special flight to Washington to play for the Interfraternity Council's Ball which will be held next Thursday, April 5, in the Continental Room of the Wardman Park Hotel. Joe Vivari, Social Chairman of the Council said he had received a telegram from James stating that he would be accompanied by his equally famous wife, Betty Grable, glamorous star of "Cover Girl," and other hit pictures.

"Solid" music will echo through the ballroom from nine until midnight only, since this will be the first "big" University dance affected by the recently imposed twelve o'clock curfew. A record turnout of Greeks and invited guests is expected to attend what promises to be the year's most colorful function.

While the star of the Danny Kaye show is "sending" the hepcats and jitterbugs, Mrs. James will sell war bonds from a booth in the lobby. Everyone who buys a war bond from the beautiful star will get to kiss the Grable baby.

One of the high spots of the evening will occur during intermission. At this time gold-plated trumpets, autographed by both Mr. and Mrs. James, will be presented to the boy and girl voted to have the "Least amount of sex appeal," plus 10 private lessons on "How to be the Life of the Party." Scores of University students have already entered this novel contest, which will be judged by applause from fellow merry makers. The names of the hopefuls have not yet been released, but the list is a long one, making the decision a difficult one.

Tickets for the formal affair may be obtained from any member of the Interfraternity Council. None will be sold at the door. Judging from the sales up to date, the prom is going to be a sellout, as predicted.

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IFC Holds Annual Ball Thursday

Kayser to Present Council Awards At Intermission

● FRATERNITY MEN of the University will invade the Wardman Park Hotel at 8:30 p. m., Thursday evening, April 5. Gaily decorated for the occasion with banners of the Greek societies still functioning on campus, the Continental Room will be the scene of the annual Interfraternity Council Ball.

Joe Vivari, social chairman of the council and representative from Phi Sigma Kappa, has announced that Bob Montgomery's orchestra, a Jack Morton unit, will furnish the music for dancing.

Following the Grand March, led by Joe Vivari and his date, Interfraternity Council awards will be distributed to the officers and members of the Council by Dean Elmer Louis Kayser, a great friend of fraternities. Other members of the faculty are expected to be present as guests of the Council.

The Interfraternity Council is composed of delegates from the active fraternities on the campus. At present there are eight groups represented: Sigma Chi, Sigma Alpha Epilson, Phi Sigma Kappa, Pi Kappa Alpha, Theta Delta Chi, Kappa Alpha, Tau Kappa Epilson, and Acacia. Stuart Beatson of Sigma Alpha Epilson is president of the Council.

Fraternity men and their invited guests may obtain tickets for the dance from Interfraternity Council delegates of their individual fraternities or their representatives. Time set for the dance is 8:30 to 11:30, instead of the usual 10-1.

Legal Sororities Open Rush Season

● RUSHING SEASON for the two women's legal sororities, Kappa Beta Pi and Phi Delta Delta, will begin Saturday, April 7, and end Sunday, April 22.

To be pledged to either fraternity, a girl should have completed at least eight hours in the accredited Law School and shall have been enrolled in the University Law School for at least four hours. Also, she must have attained a general average of C or above.

Phi Delta Delta's first party will be a cocktail party given on Saturday, April 7, from 5:30 to 7:30, in the North Room, Mayflower Hotel. Kappa Beta Pi will open its rushing with a party at the Hotel Roosevelt on Sunday, April 8, from 3 to 5.

Kappa Beta Pi was founded in 1908 at the Chicago-Kent College of Law and has chapters at more than 45 law schools, including chapters in Canada, France, and England.

Founded at the University of Southern California in 1911, Phi Delta Delta has chapters in 51 law schools. Zeta Chapter at the University was installed in 1918. Elizabeth Hartung, editor of the Law Review, is president of the University chapter.

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● ABOVE "CHEESECAKE" was shown at the last "Dry Night Club" in the Student Club. This scene was enacted as a part of a quiz contest, in which contestants were chosen at random from the audience. Beverly Monroe is pictured trying to pick her date.

Third Buff 'n' Blue of Year Features Novel Floor Show

● HIGHLIGHTED BY a novel floor show the third Buff and Blue of the year on Friday, March 23, provided an evening of fun and entertainment.

The mysterious Mr. X who had been announced as master of ceremonies turned out to be the clever and rapid-talking G. Aubrey Crump, Jr.

After G. Aubrey's self-introduction, accomplished by self-publicity and trumpet fanfare, Walt Hartley soloed on the piano, playing George Gershwin's "Rhapsody In Blue" and encoring with Cole Porter's "Begin the Beguine."

Gene Gill followed with a tap-dance number and later returned in a grass skirt to lead her troupe of Hawaiian hula dancers. Jack French played the piano accompaniment for both dance numbers.

Station STINX had sent Bob Cordell and company to furnish the next set of laughs. Bob's enthusiastic plea for his sponsor, The Vulture Loan Co., and G. Aubrey's conduction of the quiz program which followed were roundly applauded. The whole-hearted cooperation of many spectators when called upon to participate was also favorably received by the audience.

Olive Miller and Jack Sweeny, stars of Cue and Curtain's "Roberta," closed the program with their Astair-Rogers act, "I Won't Dance." The inimitable George Bishop accompanied them on the piano.

During the intermission Anne Peterson, chairman of the University Red Cross drive, presented a plaque to Phi Sigma Sigma sorority which was the organization turning in the most donations for the entire drive. Announcement was made that the Pi Beta Phi and Chi Omega sororities ranked second and third, respectively, in the contest.

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Religious Notes

By JANET EVANS

Chapel

● THE REVEREND Fred Sherman Buschmeyer, pastor of Mt. Pleasant Congregational Church, will be the speaker at Friday's Chapel, 12:10 p. m., in Columbian House.

Christian Science Organization

● ANNUAL AUTHORIZED Christian Science lecture by a member of the Board of Lectureship of The Mother Church, First Church of Christ Scientist, in Boston, Massachusetts, will be given by the organization Saturday, April 14, at 8 p. m., in Government 101. The lecturer will be Earl McCloud, C. S. B., of San Antonio, Texas. There will be a regular meeting Thursday at 5:15 p. m., in Columbian House.

Baptist Student Union

● SATURDAY BOOK Review Night of the BSU will feature a review of **Papa Was a Preacher** at the home of Sally Fort, 3800 T Street, N. W., at 8 p. m.

Canterbury Club

● EPISCOPALIANS will meet in Columbian House, Monday at 4:30 p. m. to continue the study of St. Mark.

Westminster

● A PANEL DISCUSSION on Worship under the direction of June Cohen, chairman, Marjorie Heasley, and Muriel McKune will be the program of the Wednesday meeting of Westminster Foundation, at 8:15 p. m. in Columbian House. Friday meeting will be at 3 p. m.

Religious Council

● PLANS HAVE been completed for the annual Spring Fellowship of all religious organizations sponsored by the Religious Council. It will be held April 11 at 8 p. m., in Columbian House. Speaker for the evening is Mr. Joseph Campbell, young record collector, who is reported to have one of the largest vocal record collections in the East. In addition to his talk there will be music, entertainment, devotions, and refreshments.

ART MATERIALS

Registrar Releases Averages

● GRADE POINT Indexes for the last Fall term of all sororities, fraternities, the groups of non-sorority women and non-fraternity men on the campus, were released by Dr. Burnice Herman Jarman, registrar.

Kappa Kappa Gamma Sorority, with 69 members, came out on top with a point average of 2.8848. Pi Kappa Alpha Fraternity with 8 listed members placed second of all groups with a 2.7866 point average, and Delta Zeta Sorority, with 40 members, came out third highest with their point average of 2.7375.

Under the prevailing system, the student's grades have a numerical equivalent; A-4, B-3, C-2, D-1, E-0, and F-0. Incomplete grades were not included in the survey made of the medians of each group.

The ratings are computed by the method adopted by the Conference of Deans and Advisors of Men, by the American Association of Collegiate Registrars, and by the National Interfraternity Conference. Any sorority or fraternity average can be obtained for comparison with other chapters at different schools.

Other sorority ratings computed are as follows: Phi Sigma Sigma—2.71 Sigma Kappa—2.55; Pi Phi—2.55; Chi Omega—2.44; Alpha Delta Pi—2.40; Phi Mu—2.20; Kappa Delta—2.20.

The average score for all sorority women was 2.59; non-sorority women scored an average of 2.50; and all women together obtained an average of 2.53.

Fraternity averages were as follows: Phi Alpha—2.19; Phi Sigma Kappa—2.16; and Sigma Chi—1.93. Fraternity men as a whole made the average score of 2.18; non-fraternity men received a 2.43 average; and the average score for all men together tallied 2.40.

Phi Pi Ep Initiates Nine Next Sunday

● INITIATION for Phi Pi Epsilon, women's foreign service sorority, will be held Sunday in the Phi Mu rooms at 3:30 p.m., to be followed by the annual banquet at Henderson Castle, at 6:00 p.m. Guest speaker at the banquet will be announced.

Pledges being initiated are Janet Evans, Pat Federman, Ann Jones, Polly Peterson, Barbara Ringer, Phyllis Sherman, Margaret Truman, and Margaret Williams.

Diebert Gives Tea

● THURSDAY AT 4:30 p. m., Professor Alan T. Diebert will entertain international students at a tea at International House. The annual spring dance of the International Students Society planned originally for Saturday evening will not be held because of the inavailability of any room sufficiently large for dancing.

Rushing to Begin

● TWELVE GIRLS have signed up for informal sorority rushing, it was announced by Agnes Smith, rush chairman of Pan Hellenic Council.

Girls who did not pledge a sorority in February are eligible for this informal rush period also.

Each sorority is permitted to have two parties which will be given on a limited budget between now and April 23.

Presents Plays

● CUE AND CURTAIN Work Shop will present a series of one-act plays Wednesday, April 4, at 8:15 p.m. in Government 101. All plays will be student prepared and acted.

Gerry Lock will direct an experimental production of "Romeo and Juliet," featuring four scenes. Mimi Branson will present a radio play.

Party Plans Made

● A MEETING of all organizations participating in the Spring Festival will be held Saturday at 3:30 p.m. in Building K to complete plans for booths and entertainment for a gala May party. Lois Smith announced Thursday.

Fratres et Sorores

CHI OMEGA . . . Dickie Burke and Margaret Williams off to New Jersey for the weekend . . . Jean Connor Porter proud mother of a baby son . . . Planning 50th anniversary banquet at the Statler Hotel, April 7 . . . Pat Callahan weekending at Annapolis . . . Anne Peterson tired after her trip to New York . . . Frank Delk, Sig, presenting Millie Taylor with a diamond.

DELTA ZETA . . . New officers elected: president, Rhea Blake; vice-president, Dorothy Jean Eggling; corresponding secretary, Trudy McNabb; recording secretary, Sally Judd; historian editor, Mary Alice Novinger; treasurer, Irene Martin . . . Welcoming back Mrs. Hufford, former Jo Forbes . . . Jean Eberman announcing engagement.

THETA DELT . . . Celebrating 49th anniversary on G. W. campus, by party, Sunday, March 25 . . . Ensign Coop Curtice, USNR, has taken his amphib to Far East . . . Brother Bob Swan dropped in from University of Wisconsin . . . All going to Phi Mu party, March 29.

ADPi . . . Frances Simmons, Rosemary Butler, Joyce Dickey, Agnes Amith and Eugenia Lee at Annapolis . . . Phyllis Westwood new rush chairman and Nancy Hanck, social chairman . . . Having exchange picnic with SAE's Sunday . . Electing new pledge officers: Nancy Long, president; Agnes Lengyel, vice-president; Betty Weethee, secretary, and Annie Farrall, treasurer.

PHI SIG . . . Big formal Founders' Day celebration, March 24, complete with movies, orchestra, and crowning of National Phi Sig Liberty Belle with elaborate ceremony . . . Brother John Newgill, USAAF, in for Buff 'n' Blue . . . Participating Brothers doing fine job.

SIGMA KAPPA . . . Enjoying dance out at Dottie Cochrane's house . . . Betty Jean Ferris' boy friend, Ralph Finke, was here on furlough . . . Evie Miller wearing George Riley's Phi Sig pin . . . Dot Baines spending Easter vacation in Jacksonville, Fla., visiting her Donald . . . Gene Wilkins spent weekend at West Point.

SIGMA CHI . . . Greenwich Village Party held Saturday, March 24 . . . Brothers Russell, Markoff, Hunter and Crawford visiting again . . . Pledges holding picnic Friday afternoon . . . Practicing for All-U Sing . . . Congratulations to Pledge-Brother Frank Falkenhainer on getting the lead in next Cue and Curtain show.

KAPPA ALPHA . . . H. Croxton leaving for Arkansas next week . . . John Russel visiting house on furlough from California.

KKG . . . Gay threesome . . . Vicki Koemi shorn locks . . . Dottie Buckelew detouring to West Point via Swarthmore . . . Elaine Smith and Mickey Tolan WAA top officers.

PHI MU . . . Open house last Wednesday from 9 to 12 . . . Chrys Banner holding her own in fight against TB . . . Bitsey Respess throwing away her diamonds.

PIKA . . . Med school dance followed by party at house Thursday . . . Major Larson returned from overseas . . . Jose Cerra Quinones engaged . . . Easter Party Saturday . . . Entertaining James Flynn, vice-consul from Aden-Aden.

PHI ALPHA . . . Merv Lewis and Herb Halberstadt in New York celebrating Passover.

PHI SIGMA SIGMA . . . Celebrating winning Red Cross plaque . . . Sara sobbing her Merv . . . Planning another soldier party.

PI PHI . . . Girls wearing their Easter bonnets to chapel at Annapolis . . . Shower for Doris Court Friday night a real Pi Phi get-together.

Harry Fite Speaks

● WORK SIMPLIFICATION techniques being used by the Bureau of the Budget were discussed by Harry Fite, in charge of work simplification at the Bureau, at a meeting of the Society for Advancement of Management Wednesday night.

The Bureau's work simplification program was devised after nearly a year's study by the nation's experts in the field. It is currently being installed in several other government agencies.

Concentrating its attenion on the supervisory level, the plan provides for analysis along three lines: work distribution, flow of work and work count.